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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY CHIEF SECRETARIAT (ANIMAL HUSBANDRY)

(G.O. Ms. No. 6/AH/285, dated 26th March 2015)

NOTIFICATION

The Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry is pleased to approve the "Distribution of One Milch Cow to Below Poverty Line Scheduled Caste Woman Head of Family at Free of Cost" by integrating Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) and State Scheduled Castes Sub-Plan (SCSP) in the Union territory of Puducherry. It shall come into force with immediate effect.

2. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department *vide* their U.O. No. 3682/2014-15/F4, dated 13-03-2015.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

T. VALARMATHY,

Under Secretary to Government (AH).

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GUIDELINES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SCHEME OF DISTRIBUTION OF ONE MILCH COW TO BELOW POVERTY LINE SCHEDULED CASTE WOMAN HEAD OF FAMILY AT FREE OF COST

- A. Short title, extent and commencement.— (1) This scheme shall be called "Distribution of One Milch Cow to Below Poverty Line Scheduled Caste Woman Head of Family at Free of Cost".
 - (2) It shall extend to the whole of Union territory of Puducherry.
 - (3) It shall come into force with immediate effect.
 - B. Objective.— The objective of the scheme is—
- (1) To increase the milk production through increasing the cattle population in the Puducherry Union Territory.
- (2) To promote dairying as a subsidiary occupation to Below Poverty Line Scheduled Caste Woman Head of Family by integrating Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) and State Scheduled Castes Sub-Plan (SCSP).
 - (3) To improve the economic status of the beneficiary.
- C. Scope.— The assistance by way of subsidy to an extent of 100% shall be made available to the beneficiaries to purchase and rear a crossbred milch cow. The ratio of subsidy between RKVY and State SCSP will be 50:50.
- D. *Eligibility*.— (1) Applicant must be a native or resident of the Union territory of Puducherry which shall be proved by UID or Aadhaar Card/Family Ration Card/Electoral Identity Card.
- (2) Applicant must be a woman being Head of a Below Poverty Line Scheduled Caste family.
 - (3) Applicant must be an adult citizen below 55 years of age.
- (4) The applicants who are eligible for assistance under the scheme should not have been in receipt of any similar assistance from the Animal Husbandry and Animal Welfare Department within a period of 3 years from the date of application.
- (5) The applicant must not be an employee of Central/State Government or Central or State Government Public Sector Undertakings.

- (6) Preference will be given for the members of Primary Milk Producers Co-operative Society of their respective villages, if functioning in their respective villages.
- (7) Preference will be given to applicants with prior experience in dairying.
- E. *Implementing agency*.— The Animal Husbandry and Animal Welfare Department is the implementing agency.
- F. Methodology of selection.— The application forms shall be available with the respective Veterinary Assistant Surgeon of the Veterinary Dispensaries of Puducherry/Karaikal/Yanam and Mahe regions, who shall issue the same to the eligible applicants in a transparent manner in accordance with the Circular No. 4305/PRD-2010/JD(PC)/PO(PC2), dated 24-10-2011 of the Chief Secretary to Government, Puducherry Union Territory. The applicants shall submit the filled-in application with required documents to the concerned Veterinary Assistant Surgeon of the Veterinary Dispensaries. The Veterinary Assistant Surgeon concerned will examine the applications and recommend the same to the selection committee. The selection committee shall scrutinise and approve the intending beneficiaries/applicants.
- G. Selection committee.— The selection of beneficiaries will be made by a committee consisting of the following members in respect of each Veterinary Dispensary:
 - The Joint Director in-charge of ... Chairman the scheme, Department of Animal Husbandry and Animal Welfare.
 - The Veterinary Assistant Surgeon, ... Member Key Village Centre (Block-III), Department of Animal Husbandry and Animal Welfare, Puducherry.
 - 3. The Veterinary Assistant Surgeons of the respective Veterinary Dispensaries.

 MemberSecretary.

- I. Pattern of assistance.—(1) The cost estimate for purchasing a crossbred milch cow : ₹ 30,000
 - (2) Subsidy under RKVY (50%) : ₹ 15,000
 - (3) Subsidy under State SCSP (50%) : ₹ 15,000
- (4) The pattern of assistance will be in the form of 100% subsidy amount released by the Department of Animal Husbandry and Animal Welfare by integrating RKVY and State SCSP in the ratio of 50:50 for the purchase of single crossbred milch cow.
- (5) Payment will be made through ECS to the beneficiaries as per Circular No. 1822/FS(PA)/2011, dated 23-9-2011 of the Finance Department, Puducherry after completion of the project components.
- I. Mode of purchasing the milch animal.— (1) The committee shall intimate the selection of the beneficiary through the concerned Veterinary Assistant Surgeon and would advice the beneficiary to purchase a milch cow.
- (2) Insurance premium and transit cost of the milch animal must be borne by the beneficiary.
- (3) After ascertaining the purchase of a milch cow by the beneficiary, the committee shall allow the subsidy portion as back ended investment subsidy.
 - J. Terms and conditions for the purchase of the milch cows.—
 - 1. Only crossbred milch cows should be purchased.
 - 2. Age of milch cow shall not be more than 4 years.
 - 3. The milch cow should have a calf at foot and that calf should be less than a month old.
 - 4. Pregnant animals should not be inducted.
 - 5. Milk yield shall be a minimum of 10 litres per day.
 - 6. The animal should be apparently healthy, free from diseases and fit for breeding.
 - 7. The animal should not have ear tag marks or previous artificial identifying marks.
 - 8. Own animals should not be inducted.
 - 9. Animal should be purchased strictly from the States other than Union territory of Puducherry.
 - 10. Animal purchased must be examined and certified fit by the Veterinary Assistant Surgeon.

- K. Insurance coverage.— Insurance coverage shall be facilitated through master policy of any nationalised insurance company based on the valuation certificate given by the Veterinarian for the cow for 3 years. The animal purchased under this scheme shall be necessarily identified, insured based upon the Veterinarian's certificate.
- L. Inspection after purchase and health coverage.— The inspection of the cow shall be made at periodical intervals by any member of the selection committee to ensure proper maintenance of the milch cow. The Veterinary Assistant Surgeons of the concerned Veterinary Dispensaries shall be responsible for complete health coverage including the breeding aspect, insurance and claims, etc.
- M. Recovery/Cancellation of subsidy.— Before the distribution of the subsidy under this scheme, an undertaking shall be obtained from the beneficiary to the effect that she/he will not sell the animal for a period of 3 years and in case, if it is proved/found subsequently that the information furnished by her/him is false or if the animal is found to have been sold, the total cost of the animal is liable to be returned to Government or to be recovered from the beneficiary.
- N. Interpretation and clarification.— In the implementation of the scheme, if any doubt arises in regard to the interpretation of any of the provisions of the scheme or if any point requires clarification, the matter shall be referred to the Director of Animal Husbandry and Animal Welfare Department and the decision of the Director shall be the final.

Application No.

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY

DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND ANIMAL WELFARE

APPLICATION FOR THE SCHEME
"DISTRIBUTION OF ONE MILCH COW TO
BELOW POVERTYLINE SCHEDULED CASTE
WOMAN HEAD OF FAMILY AT FREE OF COST"

Affix
a recently
taken
passport size
photo of the
applicant

	(in capital letters)	
2.	Gender	: Female Male
3.	Father's/Husband's name	:
4.	Address for communication	:
5.	Contact phone/mobile No.	:
6.	UID or Aadhaar Card/ Smart Card No.	:
Date:		Signature of the applicant.

Whether a resident of Puducherry: Yes/No Union Territory?
 (enclose UID or Aadhaar Card/Family Ration Card or Residence Certificate).

2. Whether the applicant is Woman Head of : Yes/No Family.

3. Whether belongs to scheduled caste? : Yes/No (enclose caste certificate issued by the Tahsildar or Deputy Tahsildar).

Whether a member of a Below Poverty : Yes/No Line family?
 (enclose income certificate issued by the Tahsildar or Deputy Tahsildar).

5. Whether possess experience in dairying? : Yes/Noyears If yes, how many milch cows are maintained : presently.

6. Whether possessing space for rearing the : Yes/No milch cow.

7 Whether a member of the Milk Producers: Yes/No Co-operative Society.

If yes, name the society and membership No.:

8. Whether received any assistance under the : Yes/No welfare scheme of this department?

If yes, specify the scheme and year of receipt :

Whether maintains an account in a bank, : Yes/No If yes, give details (Account type and No., : bank name, branch and MICR No. of the branch).

10. Any other relevant information :

UNDERTAKING

I am not an employee of Central/State Government or Central or State Government run Public Sector Undertakings nor my spouse/father/mother/son/daughter/daughter-in-law.

I shall maintain the milch cow provided under the scheme as per the scheme recommendations of the Department of Animal Husbandry and Animal Welfare and compulsorily sell the excess milk produced by the milch cow through the Milk Producers Co-operative Society of my village and thereby help in augmenting the milk production of the Union territory of Puducherry.

I also undertake that I shall not sell the milch animal provided under this scheme for a period of 3 years from the date of sanctioning of the subsidy assistance. In case, if it is found to have been sold, the subsidy is liable to be returned to Government or recovery of the same from me as the case may be.

Place:	Signature	$of\ the$	beneficiary
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Member-Secretary	Member	Chairman
Veterinary Assistant Surgeon	Veterinary Assistant S	urgeon Joint Director (LP)
Veterinary Dispensary.	Key Village Centre	-cum-Nodal Officer
	(Block-III).	for RKVY.

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* Specify the reasons